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P&G Case CP-1221 (G-262ML)

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the application of :
 Mu'Il Lim et al. : Confirmation No. 3203
 Serial No. 10/052,733 : Group Art Unit 1751
 Filed January 18, 2002 : Examiner John R. Hardee

For Primary Intermediates for Oxidative Coloration of Hair

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NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER TOTHE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

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 Commissioner for Patents
 P. O. Box 1450
 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals under 37 CFR 1.191(a) to the Board of Appeals and Interferences from the last decision of the Examiner dated February 19, 2004 finally rejecting Claim 1. The fee for this Notice of Appeal is \$330.00 (37 CFR 1.17(b)).

A timely response to the final rejection has been filed.

The Commissioner is hereby petitioned under 37 CFR §1.136(a) to grant any extension of time needed for response to the Office Action dated February 19, 2004 in the above-identified application to permit filing this Notice of Appeal. The processing fee under 37 CFR §1.17 has been determined as follows: \$110.00 for a 1-month extension of time.

The Director is hereby authorized to charge the above fees, or any additional fees that may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 16-2480 in the name of The Procter & Gamble Company. An additional copy of this Notice is enclosed for that purpose.

Respectfully submitted,

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